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AMERICAN AIRLINES, INC.,

Plaintiff,

-v.-

YAHOO! INC., and OVERTURE SERVICES, INC. d/b/a YAHOO! SEARCH MARKETING,

Defendants.

No. 4-08-8CV-626-A

PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR PARTIAL SUMMARY JUDGMENT

Plaintiff, American Airlines, Inc. ("American"), moves for partial summary judgment, and pursuant to Local Rule 56.3, American respectfully shows the Court as follows:

I. SUMMARY

Defendants, Yahoo! Inc., and Overture Services, Inc. (collectively "Yahoo") asserted twenty-two affirmative defenses in their First Amended Answer. American moves for summary judgment on thirteen of Yahoo's affirmative defenses: fair use, freedom of speech, limited remedies under contract, trademark misuse, limitations, laches, unclean hands, estoppel, privilege and justification, acquiescence, implied license, American's settlement with non-parties, and American's own conduct and responsibility for damages. Each of these affirmative defenses fails because either Yahoo does not have any evidence to support one or more of the essential elements required to prove those affirmative defenses or Yahoo cannot meet its legal burden under even Yahoo's verification of Other Macis. American more specifically identifies in its brief each such element of each affirmative defenses on which summary judgment is sought.

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II. LEGAL AND FACTUAL GROUNDS ON WHICH AMERICAN RELIES

The legal and/or factual grounds on which American relies are set forth in detail in American's brief.

III. APPENDIX

American's motion and brief are accompanied by an appendix containing the evidence upon which American relies. The brief contains cites to the appendix for each assertion made by American concerning the summary judgment evidence.

IV. PRAYER

American respectfully requests that the Court grant its motion for partial summary judgment and dismiss Yahoo's affirmative defenses of fair use, freedom of speech, limited remedies under contract, trademark misuse, limitations, laches, unclean hands, estoppel, privilege and justification, acquiescence, implied license, American's settlement with non-parties, and American's own conduct and responsibility for damages.

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